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PERSONALS.  
W. D. Oakford, Fredonia, is in the city.  
C. C. Turner, of El Dorado, is in the city.

C. C. Brauden, St. Joe, is at the Manhattan.  
F. S. Drew, Marion, was in the city yesterday.

L. B. Robbins, Towanda, is at the Manhattan.  
T. A. Butler, of Lyons, is registered at the Carey.

John W. Collier, of Harrington, was at the Carey last night.  
S. C. Pettigrew and E. Boland, St. Joe, were at the Carey yesterday.

W. N. Robinson and W. A. Jones, Kansas City, are at the Manhattan.  
W. H. Hubbard and Will F. Almond, Conway Springs, are in the city.

C. M. Williams and William Costello, of Hutchinson, were in the city yesterday.  
James L. Conway and T. B. Holbrook, of Kansas City, were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. May Jewett left yesterday for Denver on a visit.  
The mandamus suit against Justice Tucker has been dismissed.

A new sidewalk was put down yesterday in front of Goldstrand's store.  
J. Carr, a prominent citizen of Argonia, was in the city yesterday on business.

Sol Dickson, the wheat king of Sumner county, was up from Argonia yesterday.  
C. S. Shepherd of Halstead is in the city visiting his daughter Mrs. Henry C. Smith.

Miss Emma Wolfe of Chicago is the guest of her sisters Mrs. C. E. and D. Mahoney.  
Miss May Davidson of Kansas City is in town visiting friends. She will remain six weeks.

Miss Mamie Rowland of Concordia is in the city visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jaue Hall, of North Emporia.  
Mrs. A. D. Boyd left this morning for Solomon City, Kan., to attend the golden wedding of her parents.

The Ladies Aid society of the West Side Baptist church added \$2 to the donations for the benefit of the Oklahoma tornado sufferers.  
A telegram announcing the death of her father was received by Mrs. Ada Stevens yesterday and she left immediately for her former home.

The jury was called in the district court yesterday and only about one-half of them responded, and those who did were all from the city.  
Ex-County Treasurer Anderson of Sumner county was in the city yesterday. He reports the wheat crop in his section badly in need of rain.

O. Nostrom, a stone contractor, on the West Side, is at Wellington to bid on the contract for the erection of a large stone church in that city.  
Mrs. M. J. Barbank of Cincinnati, O., arrived yesterday to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Harry McClung, 63 North Topeka avenue.

Lula R. Lyon yesterday filed her petition praying for a divorce from Henry L. Lyon, on the ground of abandonment. They have been married two years.

Not Responsible.  
As regards food adulteration, the grocer is in no wise responsible for the acts of the manufacturer. If people want goods at cheap figures they must expect quality to correspond.

DR. PRICE'S  
Flavoring  
Extracts  
Vanilla  
Lemon  
Orange  
Rose, etc.

come a few cents higher than other extracts in the market, but they contain no poisonous or hurtful matter; their quality is the highest, their flavor the finest.

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## A WORD MORE ABOUT THE PAVING OF DOUGLAS AVENUE.

Property owners on Douglas avenue who have no inside promise or understanding of any kind, but who are honestly advocating brick for pavement, should not, in their calculations, fail to remember that the traffic of that avenue is not only the most continuous, but the heaviest, of any street of any city in the state. Another thing can be ascertained by them, by proper inquiry, and that is that no clay yet attempted to be utilized in this state for brick purposes will really vitrify.

Our clay lacks the iron and also other requisite qualities for such a brick. But even could brick be made here equalling the vitrified or paving brick of eastern Ohio and Western Virginia, it would still remain a problem whether they would withstand the present traffic of the avenue. That anything short of No. 1 asphaltum or granite blocks would do so we have the greatest doubt. But would our brick an absolute success in every particular, had the clay not only stood the experiments of burning and vitrified firing still there would be the delay of deciding a dozen preliminary problems as to who would be the most reliable bidding parties to manufacture them, as to the where and the how, and as to the length of time the city would have to wait before the contractor would be ready to commence his work with any certainty of success.

All this talk of home manufacture and home labor may have weight in postponing action and causing delay and uncertainty in the interest of those who have from the first so successfully blocked the will of the petitioners in the city council, but those who represent the fronting property of the street and who must pay for the putting down of the pavement should not be misled by specious pleas of any sort. Nine out of ten of them are business men who, of themselves, should know the relative value of brick, wooden, asphalt and granite paving, who know that brick as a paving material stands but a very little higher than wood which has been totally discarded.

It is now evident that a majority of our present city council are honest in their intention that Douglas avenue shall be paved, in spite of all schemes, jobs and tricks, just as a majority of the property holders desire, and we have faith to believe that that majority can not be weakened or misled. As for the inhabitants of the city at large, if sentiment or choice is to count or weigh, there is no question that they are practically unanimous in the desire to see the great avenue paved with the smooth, noiseless asphalt.

THE JOINT SITUATION.  
Three of the injunction suits brought against the eight joints mentioned heretofore were dismissed in the district court yesterday. The suit against Clayton & Peters was dismissed for the reason that the injunction proceedings were directed against the property owned by Robert Holbrook's grocery store, next to Clayton & Peters, by mistake. The suit against Pabst was dismissed on the grounds that the officers could not make personal services on either the principal or his agent. The third suit dismissed was that of E. Harris, but upon what grounds this suit was dismissed was not ascertained.

It is probably a coincidence, but nevertheless it is a fact that all the Pabst interests in the prosecutions are all right. In other words all those using Pabst's beer are now running in a big blast.

County Attorney Boone went to Topeka yesterday on some important business, which many think is in connection with the prosecutions.

It looks more and more like a Topeka move. An Eagle man ascertained yesterday that the parties back of the prosecutions are giving the names of as many prominent Republicans as possible as defendants, so as to create the impression that the prosecutions have been instituted by the Republican party. It is said that the names of at least a score of Republicans, some of the best men in the city, have been placed on the list of witnesses. Like all other tricks of the kind, this will prove a boomerang.

WICHITA'S FIRST HUNTED BANK.  
Mr. M. W. Levy, president of the Wichita National bank, brought into the Eagle office yesterday morning a \$5 national bank bill, No. 1915, of "The First National Bank of Wichita," dated Jan. 15, 1872. The bill was received by a street collector for the bank, from someone he did not remember, in the course of a day's collection. The signature of the president and cashier have entirely faded out, but the bill is bright and in a good state of preservation. C. C. Fraker was president, and A. H. Gossard was cashier. The bank failed in 1873, J. C. Fraker still being its president; J. R. Mead, vice president, and J. W. Edgerton, cashier. Fraker has lived in Arkansas for a number of years. Gossard lives in Kansas City. Mr. Mead and Edgerton still reside in Wichita.

For twenty years that bank has been out of existence, yet this \$5 bill is just as good for the amount for which it calls as it was when the bank of issue was a live institution and sound. This bill represents the banking system and its staple currency, which our Pop friends would wipe out of existence, and which our Democratic friends would supercede by wildcat-state currency. It is at once a monument to the wisdom of the Republican fathers and patriots, and an uncontrovertible protest against the insecure and dangerous schemes of time-serving politicians.

TOOK HIS WATCH.  
A well dressed business man from Kansas City came to police headquarters last night and made a big row to the effect that his watch had been taken away from him by a woman of questionable character on Wichita street, and that he could not get it back from her without knocking her down which he refrained from doing on account of her sex. Officer Kueh was detailed to assist the gentleman in retrieving the watch, to give up the case. When she saw the man with the star she promptly gave up the watch with the explanation that she was only jesting. The owner of the \$20 timepiece didn't see where the jest came in, but concluded it was better for him to take her at her word and refused to prosecute her.

STANGE CASE.  
Mrs. Outley, who resides on the West Side, has a cat, which is the mother of a cat named Kittens, five in number, a Siamese twins. One gray, one black, three yellow—the black being four days old. One of them died, from an accident it is thought, the others are lively set, and tumble around over each other, a collecting set, as kittens generally are. Ken has returned, heard the expression, "a stack of black cats," but this is literally a stack of cats, at any rate.

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## WHERE IS SEGAR?

The Mysterious Disappearance of a Sedgwick County Farmer.

The Last Seen of Him Was When He Purchased Morphine at the West End Drug Store—His Very Strange Actions.

Where is Frank Segar? That is the question asked by his friends and the police.

Chief Cone thinks he is dead and is hunting everywhere for his body.

On Thursday morning the Eagle contained an item about a man whom the police arrested and who gave his name as the headquarters as "Shelton, the sinner."

That man was Frank Segar. He was arrested as then stated for insisting on the bass drummer of the Salvation Army allowing him to take his place in the evening parade playing the drum.

Nobody at the station knew who he was till Chief Cone's arrival in the morning. When the chief went down stairs to look at the new prisoners he recognized Segar at once and asked him what in the name of common sense he was doing in the cooler.

Segar said that he really didn't know as he had no recollection of being put in. He then told the chief his story.

It appears he drove in from his farm Wednesday with some three or four hogs he wanted to sell in order to get some money to release an obligation that was pressing him. He sold the hogs at the stock yards for \$2 and came down town.

He obtained a few drinks of liquor somewhere and that is the last he remembered until he woke up in the city prison with only \$2 in his pocket. He asked the chief to let him out until he could find his team and that he would return at 9 o'clock to stand trial on a charge of drunkenness.

The chief knowing him to be a man of his word permitted him to go out. He found his team in a livery stable where a policeman had put it and returned to the police station at the appointed hour. He pleaded guilty to the charge against him and was fined a small sum. He told Chief Cone that he was in deep trouble; that he needed the \$9 he had lost or squandered very badly, and he didn't know how he could go home without it.

His team and drove out of town. Yesterday morning somebody came to town looking for him, and failing to find him reported the fact to the police. The chief at once went down to the island near the Wichita and Western bridge, where Segar's mother—Mrs. Frank Yike—lives, in hopes of finding something concerning him there. He learned that when Segar left town Thursday morning he drove to his mother's house, unattended the team but did not take their harness off and put them in the stable. He asked his mother for a piece of paper and a pencil, saying that he wanted to use them.

The mother offered him a pen and ink, but he refused, saying that he wanted a pencil and a pencil only. Having received the paper and pencil he put them in his pocket and left the island. From that time on he has not been seen but by two people—the clerk in the West End drug store and Officer Kessler, who saw him on West Douglas avenue about noon Thursday. About 12 o'clock he entered the West End drug store and called for some morphine, saying that he was a veterinary surgeon and wanted the drug for a sick horse.

He obtained it and signed the record as follows: "Frank Segar, V. S." The amount of morphine he received was sufficient to kill anybody in a short time.

The probability is that he went out on the island or down on the river bank and took the drug and that his body is lying there somewhere.

This Chief Cone thinks is probable as Segar made some suspicious remarks to him on Thursday morning. He told the chief that if any accident should happen to him to send his team home. At that time there was no probability of an accident happening, and now the chief thinks that he had then planned the suicide. It is said that he had made some remarks heretofore about committing suicide.

When Chief Cone ascertained all the details he concluded at once that a suicide had been committed. He accordingly detailed Officers Wood and Sutton to accompany him to the island to find the body, if possible. They searched till darkness intervened last night, but could find no trace of the body.

They are satisfied, however, that Segar is dead and they will renew the search for the remains today. The island is a large one, containing 100 acres, and it is a hard matter for two or three men to search it thoroughly. The chief requests that, as today is Saturday and there is no school, at least 100 boys to meet him at the station this morning at 9 o'clock to assist him in searching the island for the body.

Segar is a married man, having a wife and three children living eight miles north of Cheney. He has a good farm, but it is now under mortgage foreclosure proceedings and he was hard pressed financially. This, and the humiliation of being put in jail and losing his money foolishly, was evidently the cause of the rash act which he has probably committed.

WILL THE CHINESE REGISTER?  
Yesterday the Great Law, "an act to prohibit the coming of Chinese persons into the United States" went into effect, but in view of the fact that large numbers of such persons have failed or refused to make application as required by law. Collectors of internal revenue have been directed to refrain from making arrests until further order by direction of the secretary of the treasury. Charles Sing was interviewed last night at his place of business, and he informed the reporter that he did not intend to register, and so far as he knew, that was the determination of all of his countrymen in this city. He has consulted an attorney and is prepared to fight the government.

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## ATTENTION, COMRADES.

A. G. Wessner, Commander-in-Chief and Bernard Kohl, Department Commander to be in Wichita.

The Grand Army posts of Sedgwick county will hold a grand campfire in Wichita on Thursday, May 11, 1893, at which Commander-in-Chief Wessner, Adjutant General Gray, Department Commander Kelly and Assistant Adjutant General Campbell will be present. This insures the most interesting epoch in Grand Army circles since the visit of General Alger two years ago. All ex-soldiers and their families in Sedgwick and surrounding counties are cordially invited and are expected to be present on this extraordinary occasion.

A special meeting of Garfield post will be held in Sedgwick post office at 8 o'clock (Saturday) evening to make arrangements for a campfire to be held on Thursday, May 11, 1893. By command of W. P. CAMPBELL, Post Commander. J. D. CALDWELL, Adjutant.

THE TRAVELERS' MEETING.  
About one hundred ladies and gentlemen, traveling men and their wives, left over the Missouri Pacific yesterday afternoon for Hutchinson, to attend a meeting of the grand lodge of United Commercial Travelers' association. This morning many more will leave, as today's program, which is as follows, is the most interesting of the meeting:

8 to 8:30 a. m.—Reception of visitors.  
9 a. m.—First session of grand council. Initiation of candidates by officers of the grand council.  
12 m.—Adjourn for dinner.  
1:30 p. m.—Second session of grand council.  
2 p. m.—Reception of visiting ladies at the residence of Mrs. Charles Mapes, by the ladies of Hutchinson chapter. Arrangements will call at the hotels at 1:30 o'clock sharp, to convey the ladies to Mrs. Mapes' residence.  
4 p. m.—Parade—U. S. Huns, grand marshal. Will leave the hall at 4 o'clock sharp. All members of the U. C. T. are expected to join in the parade. The route will be from the hotel grand council to the residence of Brother Charles Mapes, where the parade will be dismissed.  
8:30 p. m.—Dinner at Auditorium, to which members of the U. C. T. and their ladies only will be admitted.

AN IMPORTANT DEAL.  
It was reported last night that Mr. J. O. Davidson's palatial Riverside residence had been sold to a gentleman named E. H. Wetherell of Arizona. Smith & Freeman, who are said to have made the deal, were sought last night, but could not be found, and consequently the report could not be verified, but there are reasons to believe that it is correct. Mr. Wetherell is a prominent and wealthy Arizona cattle man, who desires to make his permanent residence in Wichita. In accordance with its grand educational facilities, together with the refinement of its society.

This property constitutes the most beautiful residence in the state of Kansas. Mr. Wetherell, the purchaser, is a large owner of Kansas City property, and is known to all the stockmen in the country. Up to two years ago he was proprietor of the famous Coyote ranch, which he sold to Kansas City men. The price paid for the Davidson residence is said to be \$34,000.

MONEY FOR THE SUFFERERS.  
The following letter was sent by President Clement of the Board of Trade yesterday:

My Dear Sir:—I have pleasure in enclosing herewith \$50 exchange for \$50 (donated by Wichita, through the Board of Trade) to aid in relieving suffering among the people of Oklahoma, caused by the recent cyclones and tornadoes. I would ask that it be distributed where, in your discretion it will be of greatest benefit. Kindly acknowledge receipt and advise me if any further assistance will be accepted. I beg to remain, Governor, Very truly yours, GEORGE W. CLEMENTS, President Board of Trade of Wichita.

A MYSTERIOUS VALUE.  
Mr. Garst while bicycling found in the suburbs night before last riding on a lonely spot, near a hedge, a value which, seemingly, had been filled of its valuable contents. On returning to town he reported the matter to the police who went out yesterday morning to investigate the matter. When they arrived there the value was gone. Some clothing, collars, cuffs, etc., were found scattered about which were marked "P. L. Lounis." The value is reported to have been a very good one while the collars, cuffs, etc., found look as if they had belonged to a man who was able to afford such luxuries. The supposition is that the value was stolen from some depot or hotel, taken to that lonely spot and rifled.

AMUSEMENTS.  
The Payton Company company played "The American Friends" at the opera house last night to a very fair audience. It was a very good performance and the company was well pleased to observe that it was appreciated by the numerous outbursts of applause. The company will finish their engagement today by giving a matinee in the afternoon and a regular performance at night. This will end the theatrical season at the opera house.

A SOCIAL TIME.  
A very pleasant social event took place last night in the Sedgwick block. It was in the nature of a union of the Unitarians and Episcopalians. Mrs. Burgess of the Episcopal church and Mrs. Richards of the Unitarian church threw their rooms open for the evening and quite a coterie of the members of both churches were present. Mr. Eugene Shippen and Mr. Van Herick did the honors.

JUSTICE'S COURT.  
John Sheridan, a section hand at Goddard, was charged with stealing some clothing from Ed Kramer. He had a hearing in Justice Tucker's court yesterday and was fined five days in jail and costs. Having been in jail since the 2nd of April, the justice thought five days additional long enough.

RECEIPTS APPOINTED.  
Judge Reed yesterday appointed L. S. Natziger receiver for the International Loan & Trust company. Mr. Natziger filed his bond in the sum of \$50,000 which was approved by the district court, and the receiver will enter upon his duties today.

THE PROBATE COURT.  
The probate judge yesterday confirmed the sale of real estate belonging to the estate of James W. Hyslop, and ordered the deed made.

STOCK YARDS NOTES.  
R. A. Anderson of Riverside was at the yards with a load of hogs.  
C. S. Sanders of Collette had a car of hogs on the market.  
Charles H. Hays of Sedgwick was in with a car load of hogs.  
Y. M. C. A. Secretary Baird sends a cablegram, dated Queensland, announcing the safe arrival of that ship.

## S. K. MEDICINE CO.

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S. K. Medicine Co., Quincy, Ills.  
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A Rare Opportunity  
All musicians and students wishing to take advantage of studying Vocal Music with Mr. Harry Brown Turpin during the month of June will make arrangements with Mr. Rob. Smyth. It will be remembered Mr. Turpin sang here last November under the auspices of the Wichita Musical Club.

Big Sale Slippers Today.  
NEFF'S Shoe Store  
522 East Douglas Ave.

Thomas B. Waters, who lived here when he was a boy, was married last week at Boston to Miss Annie Kelley, daughter of one of New England's millionaires.

The legal fraternity of Hutchinson was represented in the Peerless Princess yesterday by C. W. Williams and William Costello, who had business before the courts.

Professor Strong will lecture on "Literature and its Advantages" at the Perichonian hall next Monday evening. Let everybody come. Cars will be held in readiness after the lecture, and all made cordially welcome.

Lewis Morrison, who was killed at the Crawford Ford on the St. Jo, has not sent his paper here yet, and the probability is that he has canceled his engagement here. If his company would show here the attendance would be large.

Mulvane is considering the matter of putting in a system of water works as a protection against the repetition of the recent disastrous fire that occurred there. The proposition is to put in a system that will cover the four principal business blocks.

Rev. Eugene Shippen will soon leave for Europe, where he will spend two or three years acquiring a still more extensive knowledge of this broad world. Everyone who knows Mr. Shippen, regardless of denominational lines, will regret his departure from Wichita.

County Clerk Fishback of Winfield and Attorney Torrence were in the city yesterday on business. Honored the Editor's office with a call in which there was more joviality and good feeling expressed than the editorial rooms have encountered in a coon's age.

A special extra performance of "Zephra" is announced for next week at the opera house, date not yet determined upon. Popular prices will prevail and every effort will be made to pack the house. The principals are getting the performance up for the benefit of the management.

Cards have been received from Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Gates of Jersey City, N. J., announcing the marriage of their daughter, Lotta May to Mr. Edwin C. Ames, for Wednesday evening, May 10. Rev. Gates was formerly pastor of the First M. E. church of this city, as is known to our local readers.

The news comes from Santa Barbara, California that the engagement is announced of Miss Grace Hartzell, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. J. Wesley Hartzell, and Mr. Frank P. Belfton, son of the late Winchester Belfton of New York. It is expected the wedding will take place early this fall.

Sad and Gloomy  
Weak and Dyspeptic  
Hood's Sarsaparilla Gave Strength and Perfectly Cured.